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10 For: System And Method For Performing Efficient)
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AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

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Preliminary to continued examination and in response to the Advisory Action mailed on February 10, 2009, for the above-referenced patent application, please enter the following amendments and remarks. In addition, a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 accompanies this response.

25 **Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.

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